

Listing of the Claims:

Claims 1-59: (Cancelled).

Claim 60: (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

establishing, at a computing device, a connection between a first mobile communication device and the computing device, wherein the computing device is different from the first mobile communication device;

displaying, at the computing device, a user interface comprising a list of personalized information types;

receiving, at a computing device through the user interface displayed at the computing device, a user selection of personalized information to transfer from the first mobile communication device to the computing device, wherein the personalized information includes at least one of: settings of the first mobile communication device, a calendar, a phonebook and a message;

receiving user input corresponding to a command to initiate transfer of the selected personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the computing device, wherein the user selection of the personalized information is different from the user input corresponding to the command to initiate transfer and wherein the user selection is received prior to receiving the command to initiate transfer of the selected personalized information;

initiating transfer of the selected personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the computing device in response to receiving the command; and

~~receiving~~ storing, at the computing device, a backup copy of the personalized information transferred from a memory of the first mobile communication device ~~to~~ in a memory of the computing device.

Claim 61: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 60, wherein the established connection is a wire-based data connection.

Claim 62: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 60, wherein the selection of the personalized information is received by a data transfer application executing on the computing device.

Claim 63: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 60, further comprising sending the personalized information to a second mobile communication device.

Claim 64: (Currently Amended) The method of claim 63, further comprising:
evaluating, by the computing device, the second mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the personalized information, wherein the personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: the settings of the first mobile communication device, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and
reformatting, by the computing device, each of the at least one information record in accordance with the second mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the second mobile communication device.

Claim 65: (Currently Amended) The method of claim 64, wherein the second mobile communication device's capabilities include an available data field size of a data record for storing the personalized information for storing each of the at least one information record.

Claim 66: (Currently Amended) The method of claim 65, wherein reformatting each of the at least one information record includes truncating each of the at least one information record to fit within the available data field size of the second mobile communication device.

Claim 67: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 64, wherein reformatting the personalized information includes modifying a data type of the at least one information record.

Claim 68: (Currently Amended) One or more computer readable media storing computer readable instructions that, when executed, cause an apparatus to:

establish a connection between a first mobile communication device and the apparatus;
display, at the apparatus, a user interface comprising a list of personalized information

types;

receive, through the user interface, a user selection of personalized information to transfer from the first mobile communication device to the apparatus, wherein the personalized information includes at least one of: settings of the first mobile communication device, a calendar, a phonebook and a message;

receive user input corresponding to a command to initiate transfer of the selected personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the ~~computing device~~ apparatus, wherein the user selection of the personalized information is different from the user input corresponding to the command and wherein the user selection is received prior to receiving the command to initiate transfer of the selected personalized information;

initiate transfer of the selected personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the apparatus in response to receiving the command; and

~~receive~~ store a backup copy of the personalized information transferred from a memory of the first mobile communication device to in a memory of the apparatus.

Claim 69: (Previously Presented) The one or more computer readable media of claim 68, wherein the established connection is a wire-based data connection.

Claim 70: (Previously Presented) The one or more computer readable media of claim 68, wherein the selection of the personalized information is received by a data transfer application executing on the apparatus.

Claim 71: (Previously Presented) The one or more computer readable media of claim 68, wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to send the personalized information to a second mobile communication device.

Claim 72: (Currently Amended) The one or more computer readable media of claim 71, wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to:

evaluate the second mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the personalized information, wherein the personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: the settings of the first mobile communication device, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and

reformat each of the at least one information record in accordance with the second mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the second mobile communication device.

Claim 73: (Currently Amended) The one or more computer readable media of claim 72, wherein the second mobile communication device's capabilities include an available data field size for storing each of the at least one information record~~a data field size of a data record for storing the personalized information.~~

Claim 74: (Currently Amended) An apparatus comprising:

a processor; and

memory operatively coupled to the processor and storing computer readable instructions that, when executed, cause the apparatus to:

establish a connection between a first mobile communication device and the apparatus;

display, at the apparatus, a user interface comprising a list of personalized information types;

receive, through the user interface, a user selection of personalized information to transfer from the first mobile communication device to the apparatus, wherein the personalized information includes at least one of: settings of the first mobile communication device, a calendar, a phonebook and a message;

receive user input corresponding to a command to initiate transfer of the selected personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the ~~computing device~~ apparatus, wherein the user selection of the personalized information is different from the user

input corresponding to the command and wherein the user selection is received prior to receiving the command to initiate transfer of the selected personalized information;

initiate the transfer of the selected personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the apparatus in response to receiving the command; and
~~receive~~ store a backup copy of the personalized information transferred from a memory of the first mobile communication device ~~to~~ in the memory of the apparatus.

Claim 75: (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 74, wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to send the personalized information to a second mobile communication device.

Claim 76: (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 75, wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to:

evaluate the second mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the personalized information, wherein the personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: settings of the first mobile communication device, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and

reformat each of the at least one information record in accordance with the second mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the second mobile communication device.

Claim 77: (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 76, wherein the second mobile communication device's capabilities include an available data field size for storing each of the at least one information record ~~a data field size of a data record for storing the personalized information.~~

Claim 78: (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

receiving, at a computing device, a request to write previously stored personalized information stored at the computing device to a first mobile communication device different

from the computing device, wherein the previously stored personalized information is received from a second mobile communication device different from the first mobile communication device;

displaying, at the computing device, a selection interface including a list of a plurality of personalized information previously stored at the computing device, wherein the plurality of previously stored personalized information includes at least one of: ~~settings of the mobile communication device~~ settings, a calendar, a phonebook and a message;

receiving, through an input of the computing device, a user selection of the previously stored personalized information from the list of the plurality of previously stored personalized information in the displayed selection interface to send to the first mobile communication device, the input being different from the first mobile communication device; and

upon receiving the user selection, sending the selected previously stored personalized information to the first mobile communication device from the computing device.

Claim 79: (Currently Amended) The method of claim 78, further comprising:

evaluating the first mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the selected previously stored personalized information, wherein the previously stored personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: mobile communication device settings, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and

reformatting each of the at least one information record in accordance with the mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the previously stored personalized information to the first mobile communication device.

Claim 80: (Currently Amended) The method of claim 79, wherein the first mobile communication device's capabilities include an available data field size for storing each of the at least one information record ~~a data field size of a data record for storing the previously stored personalized information.~~

Claim 81: (Currently Amended) The method of claim 80, wherein reformatting each of the at least one information record includes truncating each of the at least one information record to fit within the data field size of the first mobile communication device.

Claim 82: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 79, wherein reformatting the at least one information record includes modifying a data type of at least one field of the at least one information record.

Claim 83: (Currently Amended) One or more computer readable media storing computer readable instructions that, when executed, cause an apparatus to:

receive a request to write previously stored personalized information stored at the apparatus to a first mobile communication device different from the apparatus, wherein the previously stored personalized information is received from a second mobile communication device different from the first mobile communication device;

display a selection interface including a list of a plurality of personalized information previously stored at the apparatus, wherein the plurality of previously stored personalized information includes at least one of: ~~settings of the mobile communication device~~ settings, a calendar, a phonebook and a message;

receive, through an input of the apparatus, a user selection of the previously personalized information from the list of the plurality of previously stored personalized information in the displayed selection interface to send to the first mobile communication device, wherein the input is different from the first mobile communication device; and

upon receiving the user selection, send the selected previously stored personalized information to the first mobile communication device from the apparatus.

Claim 84: (Currently Amended) The one or more computer readable media of claim 83 wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to:

evaluate the first mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the selected personalized information, wherein the selected personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in

the at least one of: the settings of the first mobile communication device, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and

reformat each of the at least one information record in accordance with the first mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the first mobile communication device.

Claim 85: (Currently Amended) The one or more computer readable media of claim 84, wherein the first mobile communication device's capabilities include a data field size of a data record for storing the personalized information.

Claim 86: (Currently Amended) The one or more computer readable media of claim 85, wherein reformatting each of the at least one information record includes truncating each of the at least one information record to fit within the data field size of the first mobile communication device.

Claim 87: (Currently Amended) An apparatus comprising:

a processor; and

memory operatively coupled to the processor and storing computer readable instructions that, when executed, cause the apparatus to:

receive a request to write previously stored personalized information stored at the apparatus to a first mobile communication device different from the apparatus, wherein the previously stored personalized information is received from a second mobile communication device different from the first mobile communication device;

display a selection interface including a list of a plurality of personalized information previously stored at the apparatus wherein the plurality of previously stored personalized information includes at least one of: ~~settings of the mobile communication device~~ settings, a calendar, a phonebook and a message;

receive, through an input of the apparatus, a user selection of the previously personalized information from the list of the plurality of previously stored personalized information in the displayed selection interface to transfer from the computing device to the first

mobile communication device, wherein the input is different from the first mobile communication device; and

upon receiving the user selection, send the selected previously stored personalized information to the first mobile communication device from the apparatus.

Claim 88: (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 87, wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to:

evaluate the first mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the selected previously stored personalized information, wherein the selected previously stored personalized information includes at least one information ~~record~~ record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: the mobile communication device settings, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and

reformat each of the at least one information record in accordance with the first mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the first mobile communication device.

Claim 89: (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 88, wherein the first mobile communication device's capabilities include an available data field size for storing each of the at least one information record ~~a data field size of a data record for storing the previously stored~~ personalized information.

Claim 90: (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 89, wherein reformatting each of the at least one information record includes truncating each of the at least one information record to fit within the data field size of the first mobile communication device.